Today.

This locality was visited with a fierce wind which came up last night and has continued throughout the day. The ike is boiling with fury. The steamer City of Louisville did not attempt to make the Chicago run last night but is safely in port here.

The wind did considerable damage. It razed 100 feet of billboards belonging to Fye & Schaff, blew down the weather signal pole in St. Joseph and shook up things generally. A box from a wagon in front of Hotel Benton was blown out of the wagon over the heads of the horses. The box was filled with some sort of merchandise.

COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION

Benton Harbor Young People are Down on the Program.

Misses Fanny Hopkins and May Bisbee left this afternoon for Niles where they will attend the 21st annual convontion of the Berrien county Sunday Walter Banyon of this city is also subject being, "The bistory of a sunday school class, 'which promote cefers to Mrs R M. Jones' moderates in the Congregational school.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

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A Baby Show.

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rent by the day or week. Vedge and Wall Tents for sale, My Soda Fountain for sale.

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A WILD WIND SIt Howled With Fury last Night and JUST AS EXPECTED.

County Getting the Worst of the Lighting Contract.

Some County Offices Now Use Kerosene Lamps.

of Berrien county when the board of ant, J. K. Scherer. supervisors gave up heating and light- The judge says that in his opinion the outing, says the New York Sun. ing the county buildings and gave proper way to dispose of the children. As a lone to wheelman went past one would be to give the mother the custoff the women called out and asked it he Colonel Bean the concract for three tody of the younger and the father the knew where there was a repair shop. school convention, which begins this years. Any tax-payer or interested charge of the older boy, but as the at- The ricer slowed up a little and austremoon and closes. Wedne day even- party can visit the court nouse and talk torneys in the case were very partieut. ing. The young ladies have makers on primary work to deliver before the convention. Wednesday afternoon the two with any of the county officers or use the convention. Wednesday afternoon the two with any of the county officers or use the convention. Wednesday afternoon the two with any of the county officers or use the convention. Then he has separated, and as several witnesses tened on, for he had played the good that the children be not separated, and as several witnesses. Samaritan before, and he has the county of the county that the goldnel is not living up to his both children, he would give them into to stop and offer assist a completimen. down on the program for a paper, has control and that the balluing is not the care of the father with the fall un-, anywhere from one to three hours of half heated or lighted.

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DIVORCE CASE.

Judge Coolidge this morning banded down his opinion in the Scherer divorce case, and as the final arguments hirles A. clackson in the case were for alimony and the ealer in Almost Pyaly hing quetody of the two children the de

Ab cha - do you belong?

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THE WEATHER.

Partly Cloudy with snow North and West Portion and near lakes Wednesday much colder.

Wheels.

Brooklyn, that an incident occurred a short time ago tending to show that even in these settled days of cycling there are women who are as ignorant of the ways of a cycle as they are of a locomotive, and as much afraid of handling a wrench as most women are of a gun. There was a party of four standing at the side of the road, three or them gazing compassionately at the other It was a sorry day for the taxpayers is decidedly in favor of the complaint one, and yet with an unmistakable look of vexation that told of a spoiled

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Discussion of Currency Measure Begins in the House.

MR. OVERSTREET OPENS THE DEBATE.

His Argument for the Gold Standard -Extracts from Other Speeches-Senator Mason Expresses Sympathy with Boers.

Washington, Dec. 12. - There was only a fair attendance in the galieries of the house to witness the opening of the debate on the currency bill. Immediately after the reading of the journal the house, under the special order. went into committee of the whole, Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, in the chair, and entered upon the consideration of the

Mr. Overstreet, of Indiana, who is to be in charge of the measure on the floor, opened the general debate with a set speech, saying in part:

"The advocates of currency reform firmly declare that the financial operations of the government are upon the goal standard, but that the honest fears engenuered by doubtful legislation relative to sixer coinage and the persistent attack upon the standard of value fully justify the agistation asked. To firmly fix gold as the standard of value, the unequivocal terms, made fully operative by all proper sateguards. is the central idea of the law proposed. "It is confidently believed that the counry demands it, and that our action will be ratified by the people. The supporters of the proposition are not confined to the republican party, nor to the so-called money centers. Democrats of courage and conviction have nobly dared to break from party lines and suffer, untlinchingly, the sting of the party whip, in honest and patriotic effort to uphold the integrity of the national credit and make secure the foundation of the vast and expanding business of our people. The American yeamanry in the great agricultural fields of the country are fully awake to the importance of the subject and appreciate the wisdom of the legislation. Nearly ail of those who wavered in 1896 corrected their

"While the question is economic and should be separated from partisan debate, vet the republican party will not attempt scape from responsibility for the legislaion, believing that it is wise for the counry, safe for the people and in perfect harnony with the institutions of the nacion." In the course of his speech Mr. Shatroth (silverite, Col.) interrupted to ask if the bill would not result in contracting the currency to the extent of the \$480,000,000 in silver impounded.

"It would not," replied Mr. Overstreet. because for every silver dollar which goes into the treasury a gold dollar win go out into circulation." (Republican applause.)

In Opposition. Mr. Maddox (dem., Ga.) was the first speaker in opposition to the bill. Referring to former Speaker Reed's New York speech advising the immediate enactment of gold standard legislation before some branch of the government got away from the republican party, he said: "The faithful understand that this legislation must be en-acted at once or not at all." The enactment of gold standard legislation, he declared, had never been an issue before the people. If gold was now the "existing standard," as contended, it was so by And learn that you can buy just what the unlawful usurpation of the executive offices of the government. The treasury inder the bill, he predicted, would be raid ed. The bill would convert every obligation of the treasury into a gold obligation and would compel the government to sell millions of gold to the amount of 25 per ent of all the outstanding notes of whatver character. He argued that under the bill banks with \$1,000,000 capital, now required to deposit bonds equal to a chird of their capital in the treasury were required. o deposit only \$50,000 in bonds, enabling them o contract or expan I the currency at will. He then assailed republican advocates of the object of the gold standard for apostacy and particularly attacked Messrs. Hepburn (Ia.), Dingley (Me.) and Grosvenor (O.), who, he said, advocated silver cobage by International agreement in 1897. Mr. Maddox summed up his argument by declaring the measure to be a bill designed to legalize the authority usurped by the secretary of the treasury to put the country on a gold basis, to demonetize one-half the final noney of redemption, to alter the obligaions of the people without their cersont nto gold obligations, to contract the currency at the will of the banks and to create | prospects of a complete blockade. e gigaptic bank trust for the benefit of a

lew thousand people. Mr. Dolliver Speaks.

The feature of the day was the speech of Mr. Doliver (rep., la). It was characterized by all the wit and eloquence for which the lowan is noted, and held the members. without regard to party, for more than an hour. Mr. Dolliver declared that the fast loubt in the republican party at to the visiom of enacting the gold star and into law had been resolved by the experience of the business world during the 1 - Othrec years. He scored Mr. Bryan and scherals ly ridiculed the alleged faise proposers of the democratis in 1866. Mr. Dollayer - called Mr. Bryat's prophecy that the gold standand could not be enacted without an inch al fall of prices. "Is there a new in this chamber," he asked, "who will re in his place and vay that Mr. Bryan ke w what he was talking about?" Not a comograt rose. Mr. Dolliver paused, resterated his question and then resumed. "It is to enconfessel that in a question which go starts heart of the controversy Mr. Bryan lacked

Mr. De Armond (Mo.) was the heavy gunon the democratic sid. He warned the republicans from the west that they could not deceive their constituents in the comthat they had yielded to the wild in of their colleagues in caucus.

Mr. McClelian (N. Y.) was the only other speaker. He announced his opposition to the bill on the ground that it would contract the currency, extinguish the bank notes and enhance the value of coin bands He appealed to those of his democratic colleagues from New York, who, it is a ported,

intend to vote for the bill, not to do so MASON DRAWS A CROWD.

Senate Filled with People to Hear Illinois Schator Speak.

Washington, Dec. 12. - The announced intention of Senator Mason (III.)) to adoress the schate Monday on his resolution expressing the sympathy of the senate with the South Airican republies in their war with Great Britain drew a large audience to the senate

In the absence of President Frye Senator Platt (Conn.) was designated to occupy the chair.

Senator Hoar presented the resolutions of the Massachusetts legislature, in favor of a constitutional amendment, providing for uniform hours of labor in manufacture in the United States. Senator Platt (Conn.) presented res-

necticut opposing the admission of at the barracks resulted in the death Benton Harbor ... polygamists to congress, Senator Mason (Ill.) then called up Saunders.

his resolution offered a few days ago, expressing the sympathy of the senate with the South African republics in their war with Great Britain. His speech was long and was delivered with characteristic vehemence. He was accorded careful attention by his colleagues and by the gallery auditors.

He maintained that under the Monroe doctrine and precedents previously established, the United States had the some right to extend its sympathy and hopes for success to the Boers in their struggle for liberty as it had to interfere with Spain in its conduct of affairs in Cuba. He urged that the interest of the United States was aroused by the fact that the South African war was a struggle between democracy and royalty-between the divine right of kings and the divine right of

"If we should speak and speak quickly, it would sting the politicians who brought on the war for greed of gold and cheer the poor brave Dutch defender of his home He cited a large number of authorities in support of his position. He declared that "the lilliputian statesman, rattling around in Gladstone's shoes, trying to undo his work and break his premises is deceiving no one except possibly Limself." Senator Mason adverted to the conditions which brought on the war, entering fully nto the question.

At its conclusion, Senator Lodge (Me.), after expressing the wish that Senator Mason might have delivered his address in the British parliament; said there was a wide guif between private opinion and public official expression. The executive department of the government, he said, had assumed a neutral attitude towards the South Africar war. The passage of this resolution by the senate would change immediately that attitude. "If we are to depart from the position of neutrality." said Senator Lodge, "It ought to be a subject of most serious consideration." He moved, therefore, that the resolution be sent to the committee on foreign relations, and it was so ordered.

Anti-Trast Resolution.

gan, of Alabama, has introduced a until May 31 next. joint resolution to prohibit combinations between corporations to control interstate commerce and transportation. The resolution is as follows:

"That any contract, agreement or e-mbiwhich has for its purpose the control of the price of anything which is the subject of, or enters into, idensials commerce or the cost of the transportation thereof, so as to increase the same at any place or loeality in the United States, or to discriminate in favor of or against any class of articles within the United States, is contrary to the public policy of the United Scates and every such contract, agreement or combination is illegal and a probabiled

tract, agreement or combination, or knowingly assists in the execution or perform are thereof, is guilty of a misdemeanor. and is hable to prosecution for such offense, on information or by indictment, in the district court of the United States in and for the district in which such offense is committed. And on conviction thereof such person shall be fixed in a sum not less than tro and not to exceed \$500 and also be imprisoned for a term in the discretion of the court in which such conviction is had, not less than one month and not greater than

The Holiday Recess.

Washington, Dec. 12. It is practically decided that the holiday recess of ongress will be from Thursday, December 21, to Wednesday, January 3. Thus far, however, there has been no formal

WINTRY WEATHER.

Heavy Snowstorms Are Reported in Wisconsin, lown and Missouri.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 12. As night advances the storm increases, and promises to break all former records. Most wires are down for many miles about. The snow is over ten inches deep on the level and is drifting badly with high northwest winds. The cold is increasing. The street railway tied up, and all trains are delayed, with

Medford, Wis., Dec. 12. Eight inches of snow fell here Monday. This was preceded by a two days' rainfall, which took most of the frost out of the ground, and if this snow remains loggers will be compelled to tramp all the roads before any hauting can be done.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12. The first morning. In northwest Mis our the snow is three inches deep, while in Kansas it is melting as it falls, and is considered beneficial to growing wheat.

Des Molnes, In., Dec. 12. A severe snowstorm accompanied by a strong north wind prevailed here Monday. At inch of show covers the ground. Reports from Fort Bodge, Waterloo are other points to the north and north west indicate that the storm is raging generally in that section.

Reese Released.

Fort Scott, Kan., Dec. 12.- John P Reese, national executive committeeman of the United Mire Workers, who has been in jad here under commitment $\begin{bmatrix} 5.30\\ 5.36 \end{bmatrix}$ from the federal court for contempt, 545 was released Monday under the writof habeas corpus recently issued in 645 St. Louis by Judge Thayer. The necessary \$3,000 bonds was provided by Topeka bankers. Mr. Reese returned at once to the coal fields, where he was arrested, declaring that he would pursue the course which he was pursuing when Judge Williams ordered his arrest for contempt.

Big Deal in Flerida Lands.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 12.--The Louisville & Nashville railroad has sold all its lands in western Florida, aggregating 600,000 acres, to a Michigan syndicate at one dollar an acre. The largest and best bodies of the land will be held by the syndicate for its own uses, and 24, 6:40 p. m. a large milling and turpentine business will be soon established. The smaller detached tracts will be sold to home-

Three Boys Perish,

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 12.-A Regina, olutions of the legislature of Con-N. W. T., special says: Fire in a house of three small boys, sons of Constable



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The smoke and soot from the flour

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grange to commence today will be the largest in the history of the order

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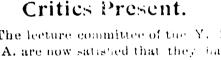
that were hung out last week.

storage bin which is very successful.

was a visitor in the twin cities Sunday.

commenced work there.

The Music Satisfied the Most Severe



approval of the people. If they were he reports religion at a very low ebb in reply is that I had a perfect legal, ell. The discourse is lacking in evidence as to that fact it in the locality where he was. was furnished last night when through the rain the Methodist church was the prize norse and buggy offered by well filled with an audience that was Frank Peters enthusiastic in its praise of the artists who composed the Schamann quartette, scepted positions in South Bend and

The attendance was as large as that called out by the Montaville Flowers entertainment but there were more single admission tickets sold and more season tickets unused. This of course will increase the profits of the course, of the township clerk saturday even-Every member of the concert com-

pany sustained her reputation as an artist and as each is a soloist there was an excellent opportunity to notice their wide range in voices from the highest soprano to the lowest alto. There were twelve numbers on the program and ten encores were responded to making an entertainment of twenty two numbers. There was a difference the results in loss of appetite, poisons opinion as to which was really the in the blood, backaene, nervousness, ar singer and each member of the headache and tired, listless, run-down to the encore A set a large following of

Cyla jewings by Miss Kartzenknabe ere excellent and added to the en- the thing for a man when he don't care ovment of the evening. The company nade such a reputation that in cise of new strength and good appetite. I can succeeding visit here no auditorium new eat inviting and have a new lease ould hold the audience who would be sirous of attending. The program endered was as follows:

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Duartet, "Way Back in Georgia Davis cur. by J. A. We Reading, Selected

Miss Kurtzenknabe Contralto Solo, et lang of the Forge Rose Letig r Quartet, "Breez's of Night"

The next entertainment in this course will be a leature by Col. George W. Bain of Kentucky on The New Woman and the Old Man." The date of this great lecture is December 27.

EX-JUDGE BUCK.

Has Been Appointed to a Secretaryship in Washington.

The Detroit Journal Washington correspondent writes: Congressman Washington Gardner has appointed ex-Judge George M. Back of Kalamazoo, as his private secretary. The appointment of such a well known man to the posit on created some comment plished by Dr A W. Chase's Ointment among the members of the delegation and Gardner laughingly told them that his district was full of just such timb r.

ABOUT THE VICINITY.

West Sodus.

West Sodus, Dec. 12. -There will be a Christmas tree at the Bethel church Friday night, December 23. All are invited to attend.

The young people meet at Lewis Glade's house on Tuesday evening to practice singing. Bible reading at Dan Stumps

Wednesday night. Elder Eaikens is in Bangor this week helping Elder Tanner in revival meet-

Elder Wiles' pastoral letter was any part of the body. read before the church last Sunday morning and they voted for a reply to be answered by Elder Eaikens the the merits of this wonderful remedy, present pastor.

Mrs. Mae Bacon expects Chicago will send you a free sample box. boarders for three or four weeks during the holidays.

box, at all druggists, or mailed on re-Stanley Tonkins' infant daughter has ceipt of price by Dr. A. W. Chase Medbeen very sick for some time, but is tter now.

icine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See picture and signature of Dr. A. Ellery Brown's children are nowW. Chase on every box you buy.

MICHIGAN.

Mrs. Garlock of Allegan tried to clean a stove with gasoline. The stove was not and the fluid exploded. The woman was so severely burned that she | may die.

Many acres of sugar beets in Arenac the cold weather froze them up. If marketed frozen, however, they retain their good properties unless allowed to thaw and freeze again.

on the "Tramp" question Sunday before the Ann Arbor business men's cember 20. class, and advocated a new way of deala re ormatory on one of the islands in everybody is anxious to see: Lake Mi higan and punish them by making them work. At the end of a

urday as follows: Original-Francis debut as a lecturer, he has been in Stevens. Hetherton, \$6: George W. constant demand, though "lecture" Crosby, Detroit, \$6. Auditional—constant demand, though deceared searcely conveys the right impression of the entertainment. To form an activation and increase—Alexander curate idea, it should be seen an increase. Hill (dead). Kendall, \$16 to \$24; Albert heard. It is a pleasant, sparkling. Hill (dead), Kendari, & 10.10 \$2.4. Active to the meand. It is a preasant. Sparking. Bills (dead), Blissheld, \$8:0.812. Ingenial discourse about the mysteries of crease—Emanuel Burket, Bay City, \$6 picture making, just such as a real to \$10: Alfred J. Plant. Thompsonville, good-natured fellow like Frank Beard. \$8 to \$10; Jacob Decker, Lapeer, \$6 to might give to an intimate friend who \$8 to \$10; Jacob Decker. Lapoer. So to imight give to an incinate incina who \$8; Justus W. Sage, St. Johns, \$12 to desires to know the secret of thow he \$17. Widows—Mary E. Hill, Kendall, made those funny things called.

hard says of the grand jury indictment change with a few strokes to entirely against blue "As to the courses made different forms, that the converge is against me, I reply that no man of the latways occasably exerted to see "what C. A. are now satisfied that they have vale-eing vale-eing thon my name many connection except plays there exists and the secrets of the people of Benton Harbor a church last Thursday might. He had total in substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last Thursday might. He had total in substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last them in Colombia to the church last the substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last them in Colombia to the church last the substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last them in Colombia to the church last the substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last them in Colombia to the church last the substance I borrowed movey advantage to the church last The lecture committee of the Y. M. | considered out of danger and con- state of Michigan can truthinily men-, that he giving to be W. Mr. he and disright to do whatever haid do while having with original name held the office from the time I went in class to say to any to until the time Leane out. I am not between there is no ashamed of any of my actions independent. It is above.

FINE BAND CONCERT. The most a precention.

BAND LAST NIGHT,

Null's military band concert last evening was pronounced by a great Victims to stomach, fiver and kidney selections placed was the overture troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons and received was so enthusiastic over the gists. rendition of it that the band responded

The vocal trip by the Misses Hanfeeling. But there's no need to feel After the concert the chairs doral offerings. were pile! up in the back part of the hall and the band played two steps and waltzes outil 12 o'clock. There were , title a number of people from St. J. eph and a special car was run for those who desired to remain for the dance.

THE MALAY STATES.

loming to Be at Considerable Commercial Importance by the Aid of White Men.

the organitor the fast ten years it has ense used thom 5000 is perfect, of the countries put together. The revenue of the existing tederation has rised in sect the states from end to end, have been constructed. Over 200 miles or ralloway are open to traffic, and an elaborate system, joining Penang to Maincea, is in course of completion. Planting and other private enterprises have been stimulated: the material well-long of the parages has been enormensly line proved; and the order lawies a hard has loop made as praceful are as ecure as rope. The Lasattracted area rumber the said the east, and has them has been person of the beavy labor of a Lin confer never have accomplished. Son even to white non-set foot on the benefit solar test as a race they love hest ruled by a strong government on de Due people entrot. Without the aid of if white men the resent condition of at 12 container inhave been appreed at and this tack which justifies our pres chee in the Malay states, is one of which I'm ishmen may well be proud. Hugh

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Clifford, in Athentic.

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county have not been pulled as yet, as WILL BE HERE IN M. E. COURSE DECEMBER 20

The next number in the Methodist ecture course wil, be given by Frank Prof. Bradley M. Thompson lectured Beard, the noted chark artist, on De-

The following description of the ing with the hobos. He would set up artist tells something of the man who

Frank Beard, whose cartoons in three-year term he would set them free Harper's Scribner's Century, and with \$25 in their pockets, to tide them many other prominent periodicals, over until they could find employment. have made his name and genius fami-Michigan pensions were granted Sat- have made his name and gentus familiar to thousands. Since he made his \$12: Mary E. Bilis, Blissfield, \$12 War Comics. To illustrate his talk howith Spain - Widow, Gladys G. Waugh, makes a lot of pictures in the present of the audience; and so rapidly do-Ex-Attorney General Fred A. May- these appear as familiar volets, or and the most culture

have received the ent rea

ar readers have the opposition of attending; we are confident they was GIVEN BY NULL'S MILITARY pass a pleasant eventage and enjagsomething c

A Keen Clear Brain

Your best feedings, your social posnumber of people to e the best of the tion or business success depend largery many time concerts given in this city by on the perfect action of your Stomach the band. The hall was well filed, and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills considering the stormy night and the other attractions. One of the finest will make you feel like a new being.

We desire to thank all friends for sen, entitled "The Distant Chimes," (their kind assistance and symmathy was loudly encored and the ladies very during the idness and death of one b graciously responded with "Little Roy loved mother, also for the beautiful

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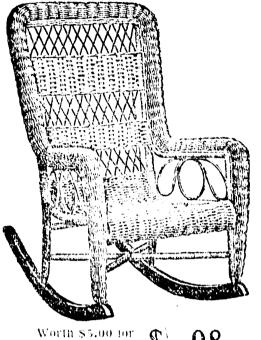
E.T.THROOP FOR ALL KINDS OF DRAYING. PHONE 518....

PICTURES IN CHALK.

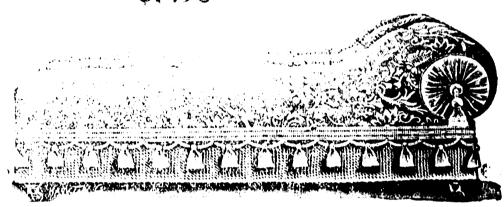
Never cares how many or what others trot on the same track; he takes first money and his oats before the others come in sight.

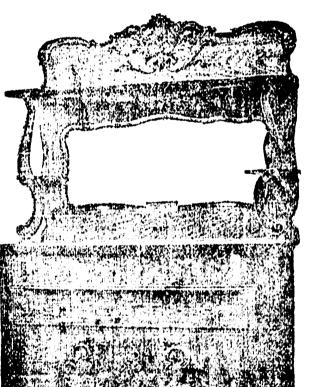
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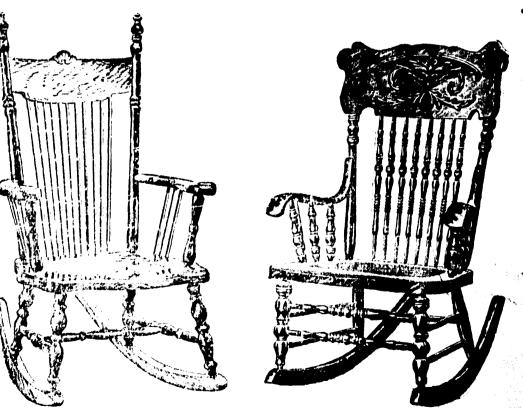


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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

TUESDAY, DEC. 12, 1899.

WHEN the revised returns come in the Boers always have the best of the

SOME of the members of the legislature are rather anxious for fear that the Lansing grand jury will turn on the light. The Berrien county officials are worrying because Col. Bean doesn't turn the light on the court house. There is worry everywhere.

A MOVEMENT is on foot to have the number of delegates in the republican national convention determined by the republican vote cast and not according 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. Factory Water street. to population. This is a good plan and It is strange that it was not thought of before. The new plan would give Michigan 33 instead of 28 delegates and raise the representation of all the republican states. Alabama would have 22 delegates under the old plan and only 9 under the new. All the southern states would likewise suffer. There is justice in the new plan.

FRED A. Maynard, former attorney general of Michigan, has been indicted by the Ingham grand jury on forty counts. It is claimed that while attor-

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling round or imperfect hearing, and when It is entirely closed deafness is the resuit, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to Its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. aries with him. If Maynard did this it is another instance where Michigan has made criminals of her officers by giving them starving salaries. The state pays her attorney \$800 per year while prosecuting attorneys in every county of any note receive double that sum. Legislators are paid \$3 per day for their services and to come out even they are obliged to accept railway bribes in the way of passes. It takes a very honest man to hold an office in Michigan and come out of the office

eks in his office to divide their sal

A Good Substitute.

Clara-So that Gotrox girl didn't succeed in capturing a lord after all? Maude-No; but she married a baron, and they say he gets as drunk as a lord .- St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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HOUSE BAZAAR.

Presbyterian Ladies Will Hold it This Week.

The ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold a house bazar in the parlors, of Mr. S A. Bailey's residence from 1 to 6 o'clock on the afternoons of Wednesday, Thursday Friday and Saturday this week.

The feature of the bazar will be the sale of bags for various purposes. At the same time will be held the third annual sale of paintings, both oil and watercolor, by Mrs. George K.

tion is called. Every article will be reasonable in price and suitable for a Christmas gift. The public are cordially invited 61t6

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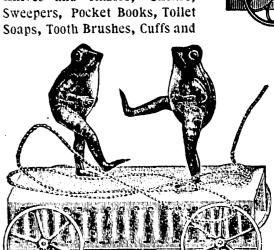
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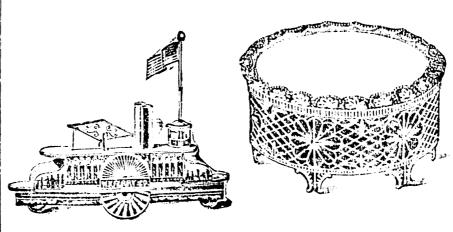
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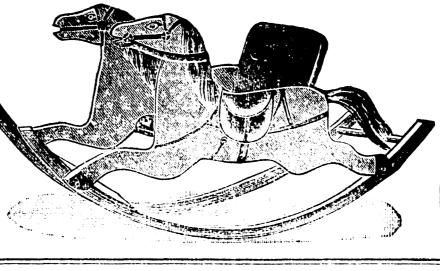
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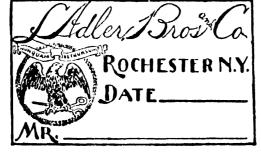
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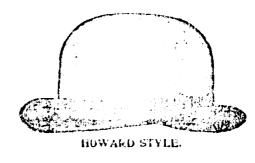
You have friends and relatives whom you exspect to remember with some useful Christmas gift. We have provided for this occasion a long line of rich and artistic

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Always the Case.

When a man is considered a good eatch he is liable to have a good many girls thrown at him.

Gossip.

Blanche-Oh, yes; she calls him by his first name.

May-Yes; and I'm sure she has de**s**igns on his last name. -- Puck.

Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Charles Davis of Bowerston, O., lately had from the peice of bottled milk to 6 cents per ere lung trouble constantly grew worse until it seemed he must die of consumption. Then he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and lately wrote: "It of Twelve Corners, was brought to gave instant relief and effected a per- Mercy hospital this morning. He will manent cure." Such wonderful cures undergo an operation tomorrow. have fee 25 years, proven it's power to cure all Throat. Chest and Lung entertainment tomorrow evening and troub es. Price 50c and 81.00. E ary every lady member is expected to bring bottle guaranteed. Tria' bottle slocat lunch for two in a box. There will be Lowe & Witnerspoon's drug store.

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F. W. SESSIONS has been re-elected superintendent of the First Methodist Sunday school.

FRANK Beard, the famous chalk artist, will give the next number in the Methodist lecture course December 29.

quart. The price of can nalk remains the same-5 cents per quart.

WILLIAM Hicks, a prominent farmer

HOME Forum, No. 389, will give an a program. C. S. HOPKINS, the enterprising

Christmas, to select your presents new advertisement today. He calls Pictures promptly and nearly 1 amed attention to his fine stock of fruits and LEVI E. Mason of Benton Harbor and

Mrs. Etta Williams of Niles were married at the home of Rev. F. P. Green in this city on Center street. the latter officiating.

THE coal and wood firm of James W. are worthy of patronage. Mr. Lucas is a young man who will make a success of the business.

THE Berrien Co. Medical Society will hold its annual meeting and banquet at Hotel Whiteomb, St. Joseph, Thursday evening of this week. Business meeting at 7 o'clock, banquet at 10 This is the second commercation of

MR. Hamilton of the firm of Teetzel A Hamilton is in Chicago buying goods for the holidays, he will return tomorrow and it is needless to say that their stock will be one of the linest ever displayed in the twin cities Everybody should call and see it. See their new ad in todays issue.

THE annual meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held on Wedness day evening. Reports will be read from all departments of church work. The trustees will make a statement of the finances. After the business meeting there will be a social gathering in the church parlors, during which light refreshments will be served. All members and friends are invited.

F. J. CRISP and E. J. McCollough have nurchased the meat market of Rowe Bros', and will make some decided improvements in the interior of the shop. The office will be moved to the rear of the building and new paint and paper will be used in brightening up. The Michigan Dairy company have purenased the business formerly shelf, rails and knobs fineconducted by Mr. McCollough. Bert ly nickeled, front and side Babcock will remain with Crisp & doors almost entirely filled McCollough.

NEW advertisements today: George the readily removed and is B. Warren, Hipp, Enders & Avery, provided with double cov-C. C. & Chester t. Sweet, H. A. Foett- ers. Good size fire pot zer, Wallace Brothers, C. J. Peck & with daplex grate, outside Co., Charles S. Hopkins, Teetzel A shaking, large deep ach Hamilton. Before buyleg horiday pat. The arrangement of goods carefully look over the sover- the in this stove give- it Use ments in This EVENING News the largest healing sur-The innouncements of the morenants face of any base burner on who have something special to offer the market you at this season will be found in No. 150, size of fire bot

I the court house next Uriday for the plate with zine courd, purpose of allowing carms of siek and enough of the best Russia goody soldiers of the late Span so pine to set it up and a coast American war. The largest claim to hod, regular price, \$55, our ar presented to the board is that of the e-John R. Bradley of this city, which is John R. Bradley of this city, which is strong for Bradley has been steken as the property of the strong form to a state of the strong form to a strong form to

der since his return from the war or 1 us bill is for medicines, I com's time and nurse. All soluters having claims to present are asked to have them be fore the board next Eriday or th y may regret it.

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10	bars	Kirk's Savon Soap	,25c	XXXX Coffee,	10c	lb.
. 10	bars	Mich. Family Soap	,25c	Bacon,	9 _C	lb.
10	bars	Calumet Soap,	25c	19 lbs. Granulated	Sugar,	\$1
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Ladies' jacket, black, tan and blue, worth \$10 to \$15, for	7	48
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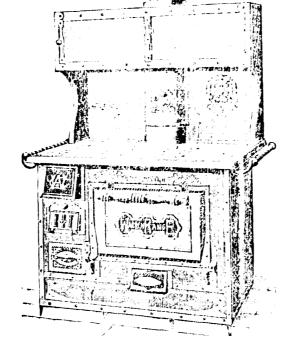
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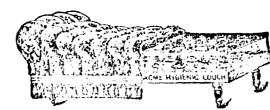
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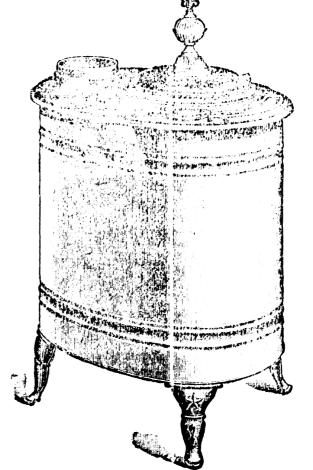
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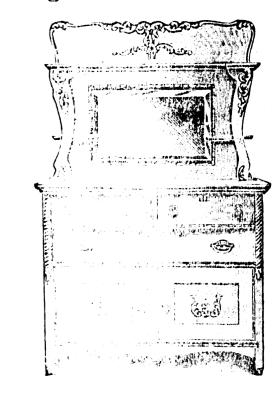
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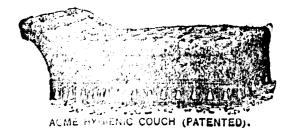
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Battle at Stormberg Almost Ends in a Rout.

MAGNIFICENT WORK OF ARTILLERY.

Itx Aid in Covering British Retreat Prevents a Wild Stampede-Boers Capture Over 600 Prisoners.

garding the disaster to Gen. Gatacre's | In the absence of both President Gone column show that but for the mag- pers and Vice President McGuire, the nificent work of the British artillery gathering was called to order by James the disaster would have been far more; Duncan, of Baltimore, second vice presextensive, as the incessant Boer shell | ident. fire in the midst of the repulsed in- After adoption of a resolution of rout through the batteries of artil- was read by Vice President Dunca). lery, occupying successive positions, 1. After the conclusion of the reading covering the retreat, thus drawing a of President Gompers' report, the conportion of the Boers' galling fire. | vention took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

impossible task, and were treacherous-the credentials committee at rounced ly guided. After a trying march, and that the brewery workers and the being under arms 16 hours, they at- stationary engineers had each withtacked the wrong part of the Boer po- drawn their protests against the sition, where the hill was impregnable, others being seated, and had exand the burghers were estimated to pressed willingness that their troubles number 6,000 mer, instead of 2,500, as go to the committee on grievances. The the spies had reported

pressing influence everywhere, not ex- read. menty years and South African secur- was a cause for congretifation, espeites shamped, not so much on account beintly as the wages of organized workers

Opens Its Session with Near-

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12.-Nearly 200 delegates, representing all branches of trade unionism, with an estimated tota membership of nearly 800,000, were seated at writing tables, scattered over the floor of Harmonie hall, when the nineteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor was

called to order. a The first evidence of a contest was apparent when the stationary engineers sought to prevent the scaling of London, Dec. 12.—Later details re- the brewery employes' representatives

fantry ultimately led to disorder, sympathy for President Compers, the which only escaped developing into a annual report of President Computs

Apparently, the British were set an In the afternoon the report of Treports of Frank Morrison, secretary, The affair has caused the most de- and John D. Lennon, treasurer, were

emping the stock exchange, where In his report President Compers eers observe at the lowest price in noted a revival of industry and said it

GENERAL SIR WILLIAM GATACRE.



BRITISH FORCES UNDER HIS COMMAND DEFEATED WITH GREAT SLAUGHTER AT STORMBELG CAPE COLONY

trievable, but owing to the profound moor in many cases in the conapprehension as to its political efseported the growth of nelsons a quirifeet. No great surprise would now the year a grad type. All also leave be left if Gen. Gataere's reverses reschoor and the arcstrus at eson were sulted in Cape Colony becoming atlame abuseless, mean by the president. Mr from end to end

Artillery Duel.

a position north of the camp this strong ground against expansion and afternoon, while the howitzer battery miltarism. was posted southeast on the left of the Boers. Both opened a hot fire with lyddite shells and shrapnel, to which the Boers sharply replied with a dozen guns, thus unmasking their position, which was the object of the British maneuver. After an hour's firing the Boer guns were silenced, the howitzers searched the trenches and then threw shell after shell upon the hills, the explosion of the lyddite causing the whole ground over an extensive area to rise in the air in dense, brown clouds.

A Boer long gun was dismantled. It now appears that the Boers intend that the next fight is to take place at Magersfontein.

fended or the Boers are newilling to un- against Henry Levinger has returned from guns at Magers fontein. Many Prisoners Taken,

taken at Stormberg. In the fighting at , pealed to the supreme court. Modder river Sunday evening Gen. ; Cronje maintained his positron and cap- Philadelphia, Dec. 12. George C tured 50 British soldiers.

The Boers captured three British guns in the engagement with Gen. Gat- bank, pleaded guilty before Juage Me aere's force at Stormberg.

The sortie at Kimberley last Saturday was an attempt to take the Boer position at Kamperdam and to secure and 1898. He was sentenced to five the waterworks. All the British shots years' imprisonment in the Eastern fell short.

Has Been Disastrous.

London, Dec. 12. It is just two

missing or prisoners. Buys a Historic Hill.

Peoria, III., Dec. 12. Dan McCook's brigade of the federal army has purchased Cheathams Hill, south of Chickamauga. Here it was that the great fighting brigade had the fiercest strugas a national park.

Gompers said the torling mass has ever yearned for a period of in iversal Modder River, Cape Colony, Dec. 10. peace, and it that time ever cause it -The naval 4.7-inch gun again took up would be welcomed by them. He took

Will Be Sent Back. Houston, Tex., Dec. 12. United States Immigrant hespector Levy, after a tour of lumber comps in Arkansus, northern Louisiana and Mississippi, has arrived at Galveston with 45 Germans who are charged with having entered the Unit ed States under contracts. There are said to be many others, and a further in spection trip will be at once made. The men arrested are from the same province of Germany and will be turned over to the North German Lloyd compacy to be returned there at once.

Will Be Appealed. Tyneall, S. D., Dec. 12. The jury in Apparently Spytfontein is not de- the famous liquor case of Mary Stafford mask their position there, as the re-vertical of \$1,425 damages for the plainplies to the British artiflery were all tiff. The plaintiff's busband was killed while intoxicated with liquor obtained in defendant's saloon. The case was Pretoria, Dec. 12. Six hundred and really a test of the state law allowing seventy-two British prisoners were damages in such cases and will be ap-

> Sent to Prison. Scipic, former teller and bookkeeper in

the East Strondsburg (Pa.) national Pherson, in the United States district feourt, to having made talse entries in the books of the bank during 1896, 1897 penitentiary.

Murdered.

months since the Transvaal ultimatum Ellsworth, Wis., Dec. 12. James Goggin, a well-known farmer living near was delivered. Nine engagements have; been fought and the British have lost here, was found dead between Ells-566 killed, 2,027 wounded and 1,977 worth and Hager Saturday night, Goggin started to walk from here to Maiden Rock, where he was to attend a meeting of the masonic lodge. Evidence goes to show the man was murdered. his skull being badly crushed.

Want the Eight-Hour Day.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 12. - Fifteen gle in its entire war history. Capt. L. trades unions, embracing all of the over to the brigade, and it will be used will be given until April 1 to grant the

Only this week and next to do your Xmas buying...

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Our Stock of Shoes

Is just a little better, just a little newer, jest a little "something" that makes them more desirable than those you get elsewhere.

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Wear the famous W. L. DOUGLAS shoe for men. If you have you're our customer, if you haven't, get a pair and we know you will be pleased. Can only be found at our store.

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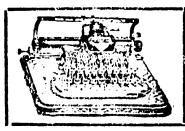
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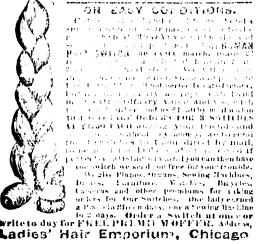
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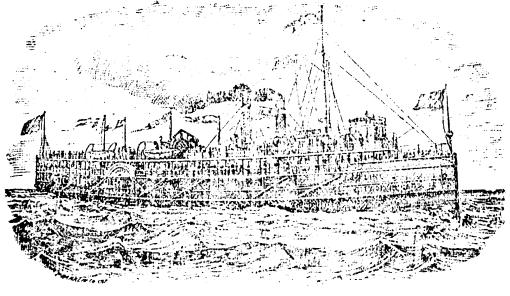
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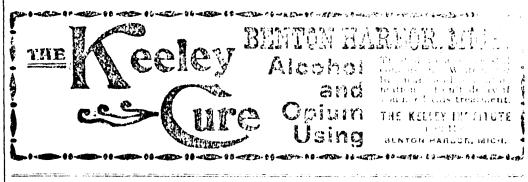
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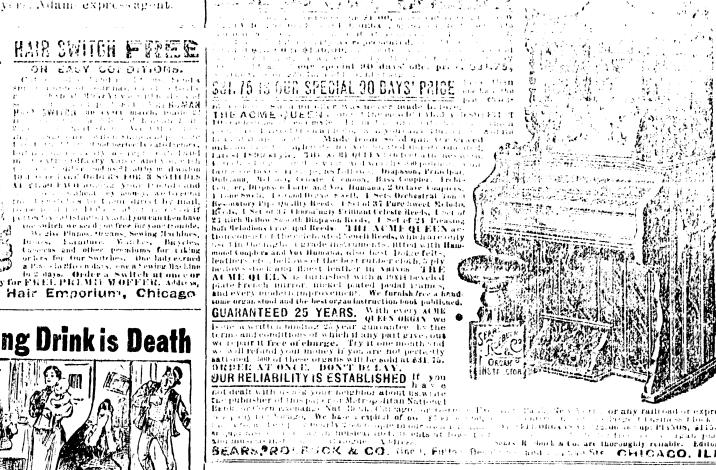
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The Evening News

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ADVANCE OF GRANT.

Troops Under His Command Occu- all of the ports can be safely opened. py Olangapo.

MEET WITH LITTLE RESISTANCE.

Navy Yard at That Point to Be Held killed by C. P. Harris, a newspaper man, at as a Naval Station-Town of Subig Is Also in Our

Marilla, D. e. (2). The advance guard years is dead at the home of his daught of Gen. Grant's commund, unner Maj. Species, arrived at Olangapo, Subig bay, during the right of Saturday, Decemeher n, which place was occupied with littie resistance, the enemy fleering. Mai-Spance had an aronous march over the mountain troy for Dirabipalian. Surens more real. Bullimore and Oregon to be easing the transport arrived. was displanted to the the army in I possesse it is to be place, which they had hoped to explicit. A cetachment of matimes uponer Capt. Moors occupied the Droke, the pr shops, ail causing a by the bendard Capture of Sabig.

During the morning of December to the ravy transported May, Spence's common areas Omnance to the awar Grant are the renember of his commark affines at Out 2446 Suncay att perecent with the Iwertx lifth infantry miser to Arenew S. Luri, who Was reported eight miles from Ha De combon 1. The eremy encountered in Cons. Grant's advance fled to the mountains and scattered. Gen. Grant is not i got reserving the towns he occupies. No casualties are reported in his command. San Miguel Taken.

Manilla, Dec. 12. Gen. Lawton, with the Thirty-fifth intantry and four troops for the Fourth cavalry, has occupied San Mignel without a fight. The insurgert commascer, Gen. Pio Del Pilar. who made his headquarters there with gents north of Manila, is believed to Have divided his mer into scattered bands. The inhabitants have petitioned for a strong garrison,

Col. Hayes, with envalry, had two brushes with the insurgert, the Amer

Capt. Sturges, with a troop of the Hileverth cavalry, surprised to insurgents under Gen Pardo, near Norza

Manoin, Dec. 22. Disparches carted

Correspond, December 7, tropps correspondent with the detachment pursuing

Grant arrived in the afternoon.

lith. The Olimpipo havy yard machinery

is in fair condition, the shops damaged only

Left to Discretion of Otis.

the Philippines. The matter is in it. discretion of Gen. Otis, however, and the war department earnestly hopes that the day will not be distant when

CURRENT EVENTS.

It has been decided that the football team of the University of California will play the Carlisle Indians on Christmas day in San

J. N. Blinkiron, a wealthy stockman, was Be, ba, Neb. The tragedy resulted from de regarding Blinkiron which appeared

in Harrison's paper Rev. William Elliott, a Baptist eler and has been ill for several morths

A difficulty occurred at the Black Dia-

railway has not the suit recently. gun in the county court by State Railroad Cemmissioner Osbern in his en Cenvor to have the company reduce its tare it Michigan to "the cents a mile, because its last arranal report showed that it was earning over \$2,000 per mile for its milease in this state. The company contended that the law under which suit was brought applied only to the carnings of the road for carrying passengers and baggage, and not the entire carning capacity of the passenger

Railway Company Wins.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12. The Wainsh

Offers a Reward.

Carpenter C'ssenting.

Frankfort, Kv., Dec. 12. Gov. Bradlev has offered a reward of \$500 for the apprehension and conviction of the members of the Maysville mob who Aynched and burned Dick Coleman, the meero who brutally murdered Mrs. James Lashbrook.

train . Judges Waite and Fraser agreed

with the company's contention, Judge

Skaters Drowned.

Northfield, Minn., Dec. 12. While skating on Caanon river, Mark Chainberlain and Drew Stevens, Light school students, broke through the ice and were drowned.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

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grades, \$1.60@5.15; common and rough, \$3.90 41.50; fair to choice feeders, \$1.0044.65, plain to good stockers, \$2.5%43.90; bulls, poor and heavy to fancy light, \$2.60604.30; fed Texas Washington, Dec. 12. - Secretary steers, good to fancy, \$4.25@5.50; light, half-Root says that he has sent no directions fat grass Texas steers, \$3.40@4.20; western to Gen. Otis to open up the ports in range steers, \$4.25@5.25; western range

cows and heifers, \$3.40@4.75.

Reference That Worth Looking

read this statement:

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We will tell you what will cur worst kind of a case of back caused from the kidneys. We wil only tell you, but will refer you to ple in all walks of life in the stat Michigan who have used Kid-ne-o with the best results. We ask you

Battle Creek, Mich., says: "I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint for a number of years, had malaria in my system and was bilious nearly all the time I commenced to take Morrow's Liveriax and was greatly relieved after a few doses. I continued to take Liveriax and malaria has been completely eradicated, and my liver seems to perform its functions perfectly. I also took Morrow's Kid-ne-oids for their tonic effect and they acted splendidly." Morrow's kid-ne-oids are not pills, but Yellow Tablets and sell at fifty cents a box and Morrow's Liverlax are small red granules and sell at twentyfive cents a box. Both can be bought

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CIETY MD PERSONAL

Brubaker of Shelby, Ohio is est of his uncle I. Brubaker. on avenue. He says prosperity ertainly struck his city and that were never better.

e Chautauqua alumni or "Society the Hall in the Grove," held its anniversary at the pleasant home Mrs. Falkingham last Saturday. dere were twenty-two graduates and under graduates present, a number being unavoidably absent. The happy bours glided too rapidly away. The parlors were handsomely decorated for the occason, with class flowers and emblems. A banquet was served at noon which was followed by a short program of class songs and Chautauqua sentiments. Many expressions of love and devotion were given for their alma mater. The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Shauman, December 15. Roll call, storiettes from Longfellow's poems; French language, pages 20, 21, 22, 23; "Organization of the Nation," Mrs. Drake; "Growth of Parties," Mrs. Wallace; "Biography of Daniel Webster," Mrs. Hipp: short sketch of Washington Irving, Mrs. Shauman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Victor M. Gore entertain their friends this evening at the Gore

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected for the Universalist church last night: Moderator, S. M. Austin; vice moderator, W. H. Hollis; treasurer, F. A. Hobbs; clerk, H. A. Foeltzer; committee on building, S. M. Austin, S. G. Antisdale, W. H. Hollis: committee on finance, C. K. Farmer. R. Morrill, W. H. Hollis: committee music, Fred A. Hobbs; ushers, S. G. Antisdale, W. H. Hollis, F. D. Graves, Dean Peters.

at the regular meeting of Lake Shore lodge, F. & A. M. last night. W. M., H. A. Foeltzer.

S. U., George Larkworthy. J. U., William Martin. Sec., James Rose. Treas., C. J. Peck. S. D., Edward Whalen.

J. D., Warren Morrill. Stewards, F. H. Ellsworth, J. Harry

T., Walter Kimball.

J. A. Simons and daughter Mamic left on the afternoon train to join the R. Hale, traffic manager. ampany. Miss Mamie will remain at Rege for two weeks on account of ill

Langue wing are the newly elected are and take Epworth League of the The business man's lunch served at Orders left at Herr Bros.

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House; third vice president, Mattie Cogshall; secretary, Fannie Hopkins; treasurer, Florence Hopkins; organist, Mrs. William Poundstone; chorister, Ted Rahn; collector, Dr. White: head usher, J. H. Herr; assistant usher. W. P. Harvey. The new officers commence their duties the first Sunday in Jan-

All members of the Henry C. Rowe circle are requested to meet at the G. A. R. hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 is one-has been able to dodge, there o'clock at which time the annual elec- are 13 labor medals and some 12 awards tion of officers will be held.

Holy Trinity Woman's Guild will meet ou Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Falkingham, 318 Packard avenue.

ST. JOSEPH.

Mrs. Edwin Platt returned home last evening, after spending several weeks in Chicago visiting friends.

Little Irene O'Hara is quite ill at the home of her parents.

To The Ladies.

On account of there being so much bad weather this week our store will end, asked the reason. be crowded from morning till aight next week so we ask as many as can to vears without having received one do their shopping forenoons before the medal!" rush. Of course you know where you can get most for your money. Densmore's 5, 10 and 25c store.

Xmas candies for 10 and 20 cents per box at Densmore's 5, 10 and 25c store.

A boy to open door wanted at Densmore's 5, 10 and 25c store. Call Friday.

Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Benton Harbor Electric Railway & Transit company for the election of directors and transaction of such other business as may come properly before the meeting will be held at the office of George Bridgman at Benton Harbor, on Friday the 12th day of January, 1900 at 10 o'clock a.m. Ben-The following officers were elected ton Harbor, Michigan, December 12, W. H. HOLLIS, secretary.

> J. B. Clark, Peoria. Ill., says: "Surgeors wanted to operate on me for piles, but I cured them with DeWitt's turnished s'coping rooms Mrs. A L. Loomis, Witch Hazel Salve." It is infallible III Pleasant street. Witch Hazel Salve." It is infallible for piles and skin diseases Beware of counterfeits. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Home Seekers' Excursion.

southern will sell on November 21 and December 5 and 19, 1899, tickets at arrived in the city this morning while greatly reduced rates to many points enroute to Nashville with their com-pany "Knobs of Tennessee." "Jake" full information call on or address F. spent three hours with his family and A. King, agent. St. Joseph. or Frank

> Mrs. Dorothy Collins continues to sell her hats at cost and will do so through-out this week. 55t6 out this week.

O'clockrch. President, Dora Rob- the Hotel Phoenix lunch counter is att vice president. Daisy Gif- tracting much favorable comment. 15 Camend, vice president, Mamie cents pays the bill.

LAND OF MEDALS.

Frenchmen of Any Rank Cannot Hope to Escape Being Presented with One.

France is the land of the medal. Not taking into account the 30 odd military ones, all of which no soldier-and, owing to conscription, every Frenchman of merit.

If you are a clerk, or have been employed in a commercial house for 30 years, you get a medal. All government officials, from doorkeepers to heads of departments, get a medal for being true to the republic. If you are a farmerand anyone who owns one acre of land can call himself one-you are decorated with the Order of the Leek. Crossing sweepers also have their own badge of good conduct.

Apropos of this they tell a story of a Frenchman who lay dying in Paris, yet, although he was dying of starvation. he seemed happy. His few friends, standing round his bed waiting for the

"Ah!" he replied, "I have lived for 59

Two days passed and still he lingered on the borderland. On the third, as he was fast sinking, a parcel came by post. It was from the Anti-Medal society, and decorated him with its badge of membership made in bronze!

Glass ware at Wallace Bros.

F. D. Smith the piano tuner will remain until Dec. 15. Orders left at Peter's music store. All work guaranteed one year.

On account of the clearing fall stock sale, hats are going at unheard of prices at Mrs. Dorothy Collins' this week.

Old papers for sale at this office

Tin ware at Wallace Bros. 36tf Everyone smokes a H. L. cigar.

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Watches, Clocks and Silverware. Goods that are NO CHEAP NO-TION STORE STOCK will be sold at prices that one and all can afford to buy at. We keep nothing but genuine articles and we have the manufacturers guarantee together with our own reputation of 30 years standing to back all goods sold. You know when you are buying of us that you are geting the best goods that money can buy and years of experience select.

All goods purchased of us engraved FREE of charge.

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We don't claim that we have a monopoly on all the grocery goodness, don't believe in monopolies anyway.] We do believe in the quality of our goods, however, and are prepared to stand behind any statement we make. When you get the Best at the best price that's all there is to it. The following are only a few of our prices:

19 lbs. Granulated Sugar\$1.00	Ginger Snaps, per lb
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Pork, per 1b	Soapine, 2 packages for
Good Baking Powder, per lb10	Armour's Washing Powder, 2 for .05
Family Wnitefish, per lb	4 lbs. Cottolene
4 cans Peas	Tumblers, each.
3 cans Corn	4 lbs. Good Rice
o cans Sardines	Coffee per pound
2 cans Red Alaska Salmon	Maple Syrup per can
3 lb. can Pineapple	Lard per pound
12 bars Soap	Mocha and Java Coffee per lb20
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Try our Tea and Coffee, the best at the lowest price. Come in and get the Lucky Ticket on the Bicycle REMEMBER THE PLACE

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Nothing need be said about his being reliable, you all know him.

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Annual Mill Remnant Sale

COMMENCING AT NINE O'CLOCK MONDAY, DE 11 AND CONTINUING THE ENTIRE WEEK

This sale will be the same as last year. Goods bought from the odds and ends of the great manufactories and brought here and placed with our stock and all sold at remnant prices. The sale will be in charge of the same gentleman who was here last year and he makes the prices on all our goods and by our contract with him we are bound to respect, even though it may be half the original cost of the goods. The immense crowde last year forced as to lock our part of the people while the others were being waited upon. We have engaged a clerk from each town in Berrien county to assist us during this sale. This sheet gives but a lew of the bargains, but remember every item to be found in a dry goods store can be bought during this sale at about one-half the value.

These MILL REMINANTS are not damaged goods but rice, clean, perfect stock, the surplus of the mills' second

JACKETS

ARE PLACED IN TWO LOTS.

cludes the best coats in our stock, some worth us to \$18.00. Choice Child's Wool Hose, all sizes Child's Black Heavy Ribbed Hose. LOT 1. RED TAGS. 300 Coats of Kersey, Meltons, Cheviots, etc., satin lined, in-

5c pair: across merced Jersey Vests or Pants, we sold them at 25c, but they go acrosmants at the pair: Leadles' Union Suits, heavy weight, they sell always at 50 cm.

15c pair: addition and they are

Dry Goods Remnants In this line of goods it is almost impossible to quote prices on the whole and worsted dress goods hall come in remnants of from three to five yards. They will include a large line of black gords, enough for waists, skirts or whole

dresses, and will be sold by the piece and not by the yard. Best Cambrie-Linings 3c yard, worth 5c. Best Prints 3-c yd., worth 5, 6c Best silesia..... 6c yard, worth 10c Best skirt lining...... 9c yard, worth 15c L. L. sheeting 3,c yard, worth 5c

Table linen, 2 to 2)-yard lengths, at about the price of 1 yard. We have been informed by the agent that this is one of the best bargains in the whole lot. All cottons are advancing in price, but this agent has control of several thousand bales, which he is selling as a leader. He gives for this sale ten bales of 100 rolls each and makes them 3 e a roll.

IN MILLINERY

There are 200 trimmed hats worth up to \$6.00 that go at \$2.98

200 trimmed hats worth up to \$4.50 go at \$1.98. 300 untrimmed hats, 25c each. 200 tam crown walking hats with braided tops and quills, sold at \$1.50,

\$1.75, \$1.98, go at 50c. 250 genuine black ostrich plumes worth 50 to 75c go at 20c. 200 fine quills, black, white and colors, at 2c each. 500 remnants of sateens, silkaleens, etc., for quitting 1000 remnands of embroideries, some to per yard. 1000 remaan's of ribbons, from one to three yards. 500 Coiscis, ali sizes, 18 to 30, ten different styles,

Notwithstanding the steady rise in price of cotton, we are instructed to put on sale a big pile of readymade sheets and pillow cases at prices less than the material costs today. Fine nem aftehed sheets 90x90 \$.65 We have these sheets and cases in all sizes. The smaller ones come proportionately cheaper. Heavy fine wool biankets pair, 2.00 Dressing Sacques All sizes, swansdowns, eiderdowns, etc., in red, blue, pink, and fancy; choice of one big lot, worth up to \$1.50, at 89c.

But this is but a glance at the hundreds of money saving prices made for this sale. If you cant come yourself, make out a list of the things you want and send it by your neighbor.

EVERY DAY OF THE SALE Railroads Excursions on all See the small railroad bills for particulars, time of trains, etc.

Come in the morning and stay all day and we will make you feel perfectly at home.

Entononico Morcantile Co.

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worth 50, 69, 75, 89 and \$1, all at 39c each. Filo wash embroidery silks, all colors, per dozen 29c.